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Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: 9 July 2003
Docket No. US010201A
Prior Art Unit: 2851
Prior Ex.: SEVER, ANDREW T

Sir:

This is a request for filing a:

- [] continued prosecution application ("CPA") under 37 CFR 1.53(d) of pending prior application Serial No. *****, filed ***** of *****, *****, for *****.
- [X] continuing application under 37 CFR 1.53(b) of pending prior application Serial No. 09/845,897, filed on 04/30/2001 of Roland van Gelder, George Melnik, for COLOR VIDEO PROJECTION DISPLAY SYSTEM WITH LOW-RETARDANCE COMPENSATOR FILM FOR IMPROVED CONTRAST.
- [X] Enclosed are copies of 22 sheets of specification and 5 drawing sheets (all of which constitutes the specification and drawing in this application) and the Declaration and Power of Attorney as filed in the parent application.
- [X] Amend the specification by inserting before the first line as a centered heading: -- Cross Reference To Related Applications--; and insert below that as a new paragraph --This is a [X] continuation [] divisional of application Serial No. 09/845,897, filed 04/30/2001.--
- [] An appointment of associates is enclosed.

[] Before calculating the filing fee, cancel in this application original claims *****.

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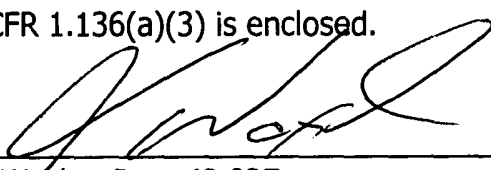
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[] Priority of application Serial No. *****, filed on ***** in **, is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119.

- [] The certified copy of the priority application was filed in prior application Serial No. *****
- [X] This application is assigned to KONINKLIJKE PHILIPS ELECTRONICS N.V. by way of the assignment filed in application Serial No. 09/845,897
- [X] Address all future communications to Corporate Patent Counsel, Philips Intellectual Property & Standards, P.O. Box 3001, Briarcliff Manor, New York 10510-8001.
- [X] A preliminary amendment to this application is enclosed.
- [] Enter in this application the amendment under 37 C.F.R. 1.116 which was unentered in the prior application.
- [] An Information Disclosure Statement is enclosed.
- [X] An Authorization Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a)(3) is enclosed.

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AUTHORIZATION PURSUANT TO 37 CFR §1.136(a)(3)
AND TO CHARGE DEPOSIT ACCOUNT

Sir:

The Commissioner is hereby requested and authorized to treat any concurrent or future reply in this application requiring a petition for extension of time for its timely submission, as incorporating a petition for extension of time for the appropriate length of time.

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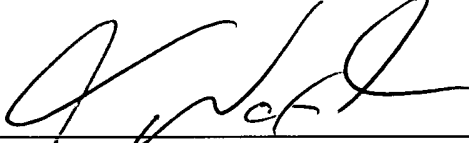
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In view of the foregoing, Applicants respectfully request favorable reconsideration and early passage to issue of the present application. Please charge any additional fees which may now or in the future be required in this application, by excluding the issue fee unless explicitly requested to do so,

Applicants, undersigned agent may be reached by telephone at the number given below.

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